

Volcano Eruption

What happens when a volcano erupts? First, there is magma deep under the ground. Magma is melted rock. It is made when ocean water gets deep into the earth. When magma is made it also makes a lot of gas. When there is too much gas it shoots up. People can see an ash cloud in the sky if a volcano is about to explode. The magma shoots up through the vent and out of a crater in the earth. When magma gets to the surface it's called lava. Overtime, the lava will cool down and harden making the volcano even larger.

